GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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VAJPAYEE-MUSHARRAF MEETING
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any meeting has been fixed between our Prime Minister and Pakistan`s President during the United Nations General Assembly Session in the third week of September and subsequently the Summit of the South Asian Association for Regional Co-operation; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

(a)&(b) Prime Minister has reiterated on several occasions that the dialogue process with Pakistan will continue. India`s endeavor to establish peaceful, friendly and cooperative ties with Pakistan will be pursued. The schedule of summit level and other bilateral interactions with Pakistan is under consideration.